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December 5, 2003

**VIA FEDERAL EXPRESS**

Honorable Deborah Taylor Tate, Chair  
Tennessee Regulatory Authority  
460 James Robertson Parkway  
Nashville, Tennessee 37243-0505

Re: **APPALACHIAN POWER COMPANY (American Electric Power)  
AMENDMENT TO APPLICATION - DOCKET NO. 03-00503**

Attn: Shara Dillon,  
Docket and Records Manager

Dear Madam Chair:

In connection with this matter, please find enclosed one original and thirteen conformed copies of the above referenced Amendment to Application

If you should have any questions regarding the application, please contact the undersigned.

Sincerely yours,

**HUNTER, SMITH & DAVIS, LLP**

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Enclosures

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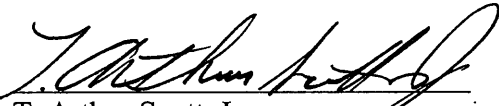
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**APPALACHIAN POWER COMPANY :**

principal amount of more than \$500 million of which, no more than \$200 million will be new issuances and not part of refinancing of existing debt, Appalachian shall seek further authorization from the Authority to issue notes above said principal amounts.

All other provisions of the Application remain as filed.

APPALACHIAN POWER COMPANY

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## CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

The undersigned does hereby certify that a true and correct copy of the foregoing Amendment to Application has been served upon all parties by mailing same by First Class, U.S. Mail, postage prepaid, this 5<sup>th</sup> day of December, 2003, to the following addresses:

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